

FOOD PURCHASE REPORT

United States
Department of
Agriculture

Agricultural
Marketing
Service

DATE: Sept. 8, 2005

USDA BUYS: CANNED BONED POULTRY

The U.S. Department of Agriculture's Agricultural Marketing Service (AMS) today purchased 740,000 pounds of canned boned poultry at an approximate delivered cost of \$1,365,000 for domestic food nutrition assistance programs to assist in the relief efforts for those displaced by Hurricane Katrina. Details of today's purchase follow:

Product	Pounds Accepted	Awarded Prices Inv. No. 514	No. of Bids Accepted
29-oz.	365,000	\$1.8200-\$1.8800	2 of 2
50-oz.	375,000	\$1.8200	1 of 2

Total purchases of canned boned poultry since the program was announced on August 3, 2004, follow:

Product	Cumulative Pounds	Cumulative Dollars
29-oz.	4,824,000	\$8,859,000
29-oz.	1,790,000	\$3,316,000
Produced from light fowl		
50-oz.	1,463,000	\$2,671,000

Inquiries may be made by telephoning (202) 720-7693 or addressing the Contracting Officer; USDA/AMS/Poultry Programs; Commodity Procurement Branch STOP 0260; 1400 Independence Ave., SW; Washington, D.C. 20250. An electronic version of this Food Purchase Report can be obtained through the world wide web via the Commodity Procurement Home Page at <http://www.ams.usda.gov/cp>.

The awards for canned boned poultry made today under Announcement PY-290, Invitation 514, to be delivered Sept. 16 to Oct. 31, follow:

ANNOUNCEMENT : PY290
COMM GROUP : POULTRY
INVITATION : 514

COMMODITY TYPE : CHICKEN, CANNED, BONED
PACK SIZE : 24/29 OZ CAN

CONTRACTOR NAME: TONY DOWNS FOODS CO.
PLANT ADDRESS : MADELIA MN

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY ST	QUANTITY (LBS)	PRICE PER (LB)
001	CARTHAGE MO	182,700	\$ 1.8800
002	CARTHAGE MO	109,620	\$ 1.8800

TOTAL AWARDED: 292,320

CONTRACTOR NAME: VALLEY FRESH, INC.
PLANT ADDRESS : TURLOCK CA

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY ST	QUANTITY (LBS)	PRICE PER (LB)
002	CARTHAGE MO	73,080	\$ 1.8200

TOTAL AWARDED: 73,080

COMMODITY TYPE : CHICKEN, CANNED, BONED
PACK SIZE : 12/50 OZ CAN

CONTRACTOR NAME: VALLEY FRESH, INC.
PLANT ADDRESS : TURLOCK CA

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY ST	QUANTITY (LBS)	PRICE PER (LB)
003	CARTHAGE MO	187,500	\$ 1.8200
004	CARTHAGE MO	187,500	\$ 1.8200

TOTAL AWARDED: 375,000